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Sent: 9/12/2022 6:36:25 PM
To: McCoy, Melissa [mccoy.melissa@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Invitation to discussion with FHWA & CDOT

I sent our response as a "go-ahead." J

From: McCoy, Melissa <mccoy.melissa@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2022 11:31 AM
To: Smith, Julie <Smith.Julie@epa.gov>
Subject: FW: Invitation to discussion with FHWA & CDOT

Hi Julie – See below - Adam Eisele has accepted the invitation so please make sure he is added to the invite list when it is sent out.

Thanks!
Melissa

From: Eisele, Adam <Eisele.Adam@epa.gov>
Sent: Monday, September 12, 2022 11:27 AM
To: McCoy, Melissa <mccoy.melissa@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Invitation to discussion with FHWA & CDOT

Hi Melissa-

Please add me to the invite list. I look forward to learning more about this issue.

Thanks!

From: McCoy, Melissa <mccoy.melissa@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, September 9, 2022 6:46 PM
To: Eisele, Adam <Eisele.Adam@epa.gov>
Subject: Invitation to discussion with FHWA & CDOT

Hi Adam,

I hope your detail is going well! I'm reaching out because the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Colorado State Office is proposing an October 5, 2022 (afternoon), meeting between EPA Region 8 NEPA and Air Quality Division, FHWA and Colorado DOT staffs to discuss the status of the proposed I-270 road improvement project to be constructed in the Commerce City area of Denver. Chris Razzazian should be attending, as will I, and I wanted to see if you would be interested in attending as well. The project is currently being analyzed under NEPA in an environmental assessment. The purpose of this meeting is for FHWA/CDOT to preview information coming out of their air quality modeling and health impacts studies prepared for the proposed project and to consider potential cumulative impacts to the citizens of Commerce City, a population with environmental justice (EJ) characteristics. Citizens from the Commerce City community have expressed public and environmental health concerns as a result of recent and planned road way improvement projects (e.g., I-270, I-70 East and Central, Vasquez Avenue improvement projects) in a community landscape that is dominated by historic heavy industrial development and resultant pollution. This meeting is intended to create a common understanding among agencies of the efforts on the part of CDOT and FHWA to appropriately consider air emission impacts particularly within the context of EJ and equity considerations in the NEPA process. It will

also provide an opportunity for interagency collaboration on identifying potential opportunities to avoid, minimize, and mitigate impacts posed to community residents and workers by the construction and maintenance of the I-270 roadway.

Please let me know if we can add you to the invite list.

Thanks!

Melissa

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